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INCOMING AMEMBASSY RIO DE JANEIRO *Pol-23-8-Sao Paulo*

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SUBJECT: RECENT TERRORIST ACTIVITIES IN SAO PAULO

1. SAO PAULO NEWSPAPERS ON SEPT. 4 AND 5 REPORTED TWO MOST RECENT INCIDENTS INVOLVING TERRORISTS. A GUN BATTLE OCCURRED IN THE CENTER OF DOWNTOWN SAO PAULO BETWEEN POLICE AND GROUP OF YOUTHS DURING WHICH ONE POLICEMAN AND ONE TERRORIST KILLED AND TWO TERRORISTS CAPTURED. ALL TERRORISTS INVOLVED WERE IDENTIFIED AS STUDENTS IN THE FACULTY OF PHILOSOPHY OF THE UNIVERSITY OF SAO PAULO (USP).

2. SECOND INCIDENT INVOLVED VOLKSWAGEN LOADED WITH DYNAMITE WHICH EXPLODED ACCIDENTALLY IN DOWNTOWN SAO PAULO EARLY MORNING OF SEPT. 4 AND IN WHICH TWO TERRORISTS WERE KILLED. ONE HAD BEEN IDENTIFIED AS SECRETARY OF STUDENT UNION ALSO OF FACULTY OF PHILOSOPHY, USP.

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COMMENT: SO FAR AS CONCERN AWARE THIS IS FIRST INCIDENT IN WHICH TERRORISTS HAVE PROVED TO BE STUDENTS ACTUALLY ENROLLED. ONE OF THE TERRORISTS WAS OF JAPANESE ORIGIN AND IN THE HAVE HEARD PREVIOUS REPORTS THAT QUITE A FEW JAPANESE ARE INVOLVED IN SUBVERSIVE STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS. GP-1

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*True - they after used  
to put up the money for ONE etc.*

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